



FIRE BUCKET



September 2023

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Last Meeting

Date: September 13, 2023

Location: TAT Ristorante Di Famiglia
1210 S James Rd, Columbus, OH 43227



Speaker: Chris McCarthy - Edwards

Topic: New UL 268 7th Edition – Smoke Detector Standard

The changes in this edition standard are major in scope, most notably the addition of three new fire tests:

- Detection of flaming polyurethane foam
- Detection of smoldering polyurethane foam
- Reduction of nuisance alarms

The presentation will focus on requirements and deadlines, along with some code and design information on implementing voice systems.

Cost: \$23.00 (Members)
\$28.00 (Non-members)

Make Reservations with:
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440-463-0720

Reservations Deadline: Friday September 8, 2023 – 5:00 P.M.

Everyone who plans to attend, including pre-paid members, must make a reservation and check-in with John Falk at the meeting.

Ordering items not on our set menu options will require additional payment.

Annual Chapter Dues

The annual chapter dues are \$20. The dues are used to support the chapter operations and promote our chapter.

The One-Pay option is back for this year. For \$112, you get your annual dues and 5 chapter meetings. The MCACO meeting is not included.

You can pay your annual dues on our Chapter On-Line Payment Center. This secure site is operated by Square. Click here to go to the site.

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Meeting fees can be paid online at <https://sfpe-centralohio.square.site/>

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Future Meetings

Chapter Meetings

November 8, 2023
 January 10, 2023
 March 13, 2023
 May 12, 2023

Golf Outings

Burn Center Outing – September 25, 2023

SFPE Phil Gentile Golf Outing

The 2023 SFPE - Phil Gentile Memorial Golf Outing was held Friday, August 4, 2023 at the Glenross Golf Club in Delaware, OH



We had a sell-out crowd of 72 golfers. Thanks to all the golfers and sponsors for making this a great outing.

2023 Burn Center Outing

The 34th Annual Burn Center Outing will be held Monday September 25, 2023 at The Medallion Club.

We are pleased to report that the outing is basically **sold out**.

Information on the outing can be found at Burn Center Outing. Our site also has a link to numerous pictures from last year's outing.

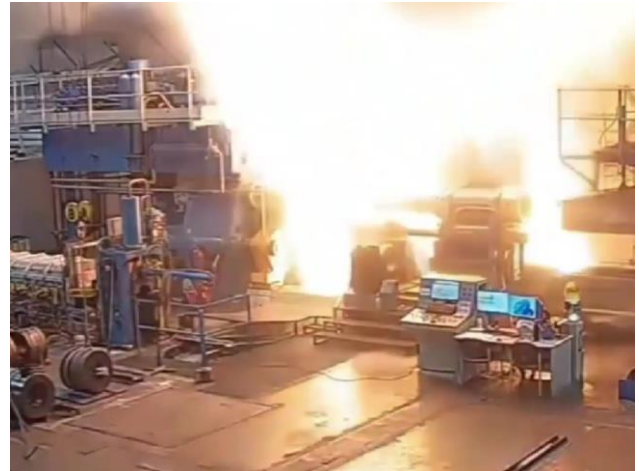
You can still make a donation to the great cause by going to our registration page.

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Hydraulic Fluid Fire

[Source: Various Web Pages](#)



This is a great video showing a fire caused by atomized hydraulic fluid.

SFPE Candidate Slate

[Source: SFPE](#)

SFPE has created a list of candidates for next year's board of directors. The Nominating Committee, made up of Beth Tubbs (Chair), Virginia Charter, Craig Vesely, Susan Lamont, Gilles Carrier and Traci Bangor have completed their work and are sending to the SFPE membership the following candidates for next year's Board of Directors and Nominating Committee.



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All applications of nominees were reviewed and acted upon by the Nominating Committee following the applicable provisions of the SFPE Constitution & Bylaws and SFPE Standing Rules for the positions sought.

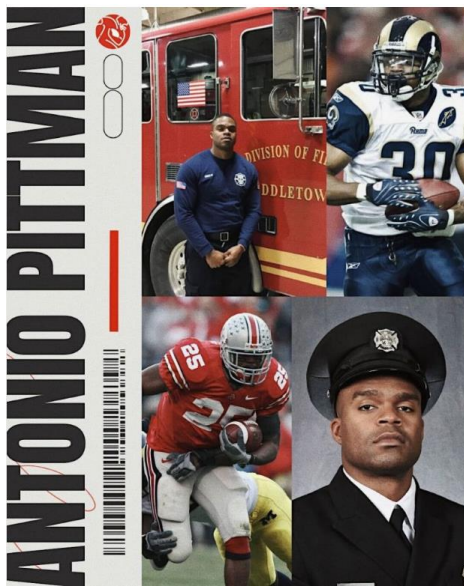
National members are encouraged to vote.

[Click here for information.](#)

**Former Buckeye and St. Louis
Rams RB, Antonio Pittman, is now
a Firefighter**

[Source: LinkedIn](#)

Former St. Louis Rams RB, Antonio Pittman, is now going into his 8th year as a firefighter. Drafted in 2007, Pittman is currently a full-time firefighter while also helping young athletes bridge the gap between sports and find a career in firefighting.

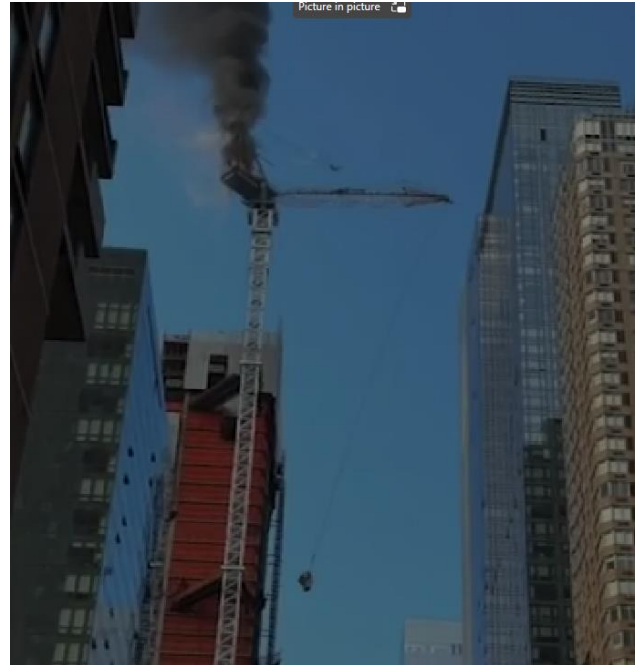


New York Crane Fire

[Source: ABC7](#)

NEW YORK -- A large crane on a high-rise building caught fire and partially collapsed in New York City on Wednesday morning.

Authorities say three firefighters and at least nine civilians, including construction workers, passersby and others, suffered minor injuries when the fire broke out around 7:30 a.m.



The crane is on a building under construction, located on 10th Avenue and West 41st Street. Officials say the building is about 45 stories high.

Photos and videos posted on social media showed flames bursting from the engine compartment of the crane hundreds of feet above street level.

The crane was carrying 16 tons of concrete and as the fire burned, it weakened the cable holding up the concrete until the cable gave way.

The crane boom went swinging like a sledgehammer, slicing a neighboring building, before both it and the concrete collapsed onto the street below.

**Hot Water Tank Blamed for
Explosion**

[Source: CBS News](#)

Check out this video of a house exploding.



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 Source: NFPA

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Rock Band Sets off Emergency Sprinkler System With Too Much Pyro, Gets Drenched on Stage

Source: [The Messenger](#)

Things got a little too hot to handle during a concert by rock band Disturbed Thursday night, causing an unexpected super-soaking at the end of their set.



"When the sprinklers went off, they didn't even miss a beat," one viewer marveled in the comments section.

The band — who, indeed, gamely kept playing even through the unexpected drenching — made light of the mishap, which took place at the Cynthia Woods Mitchell Pavilion outside of Houston.

"Houston, we have a problem," they tweeted on Disturbed's official account, along with a few pictures of the super-soaking. "Thank you for enduring the Fire and Water with us!"

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Please make check payable to *Central Ohio Chapter, SFPE*. Applications can be submitted at the next meeting. Please complete a new application every year, so we can keep our database current. Dues run from September 1st to August 31st of each calendar year.